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Applicant(s): Lutze et al.

Title: Methods for Identifying Non-Volatile Memory Elements with Poor Threshold Slope of Weak Transconductance

Application No.: 10/665,685

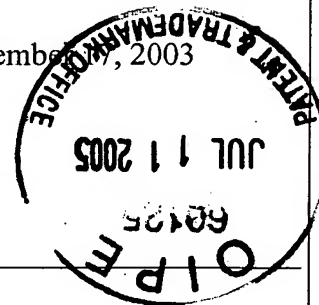
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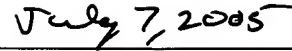
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ELEMENTS WITH POOR SUBTHRESHOLD SLOPE OR WEAK TRANSDUCANCE



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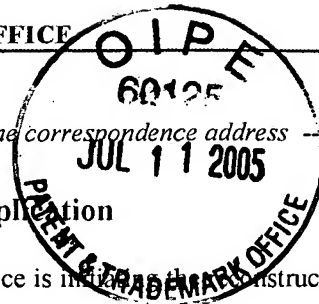
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